

# HOUSE BILL 647

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EMERGENCY BILL

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Department of Natural Resources – Conservation Service Opportunities –**  
3 **Procurement Exemption**

4 FOR the purpose of exempting from certain provisions of the State Procurement law  
5 certain grants, agreements, or partnerships related to conservation service  
6 opportunities negotiated or entered into by the Department of Natural  
7 Resources and nonprofit entities; making this Act an emergency measure; and  
8 generally relating to procurement exemptions.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article – State Finance and Procurement  
11 Section 11–203(a)(1)(xvii) and (xviii)  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (2009 Replacement Volume)

14 BY adding to  
15 Article – State Finance and Procurement  
16 Section 11–203(a)(1)(xix)  
17 Annotated Code of Maryland  
18 (2009 Replacement Volume)

19 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
20 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike-out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 **Article – State Finance and Procurement**

2 11-203.

3 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, this Division II does  
4 not apply to:

5 (1) procurement by:

6 (xvii) the Maryland Developmental Disabilities Administration of  
7 the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene for family and individual support  
8 services, and individual family care services, as those terms are defined by the  
9 Department of Health and Mental Hygiene in regulation; [and]

10 (xviii) the Department of General Services for the renovation of a  
11 structure that:

12 1. was built during the 18th or 19th century; and

13 2. is listed in or eligible for listing in the National  
14 Register of Historic Places; AND

15 **(XIX) THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, FOR**  
16 **NEGOTIATING OR ENTERING INTO GRANTS, AGREEMENTS, OR PARTNERSHIPS**  
17 **WITH NONPROFIT ENTITIES RELATED TO CONSERVATION SERVICE**  
18 **OPPORTUNITIES;**

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act ~~shall take effect~~  
20 ~~October 1, 2010~~ is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation  
21 of the public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by  
22 three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General  
23 Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.